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%% Machine Learning
   % Lab 7: Neural Network Training
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   % —— Handwritten Digits ——
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   %{
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   For this exercise, you will teach a neural network to
   recognize handwritten digits (from 0 to 9). Automated handwritten digit
   recognition is widely used today — from recognizing zip codes (postal codes)
   on mail envelopes to recognizing amounts written on bank checks.
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   %}
11
   % Initialization
12
   clear ; close all; clc
13
14 | % Setup the parameters you will use for this exercise
15 | input_layer_size = 400; % 20x20 Input Images of Digits
16 | hidden_layer_size = 25; % 25 hidden units
17
   num_labels = 10;
                             % 10 labels, from 1 to 10
18
                             % (note that we have mapped "0" to label 10)
19
20
   % ====== Part 1: Loading and Visualizing Data =======
   % We start the exercise by first loading and visualizing the dataset.
22
   % You will be working with a dataset that contains handwritten digits.
23
24
25
   % Load Training Data
26
   fprintf('Loading and Visualizing Data ...\n')
27
28
   load('ex4data1.mat');
29
   m = size(X, 1);
30
31 |% Randomly select 100 data points to display
   sel = randperm(size(X, 1));
33
   sel = sel(1:100);
34
35
   displayData(X(sel, :));
36
37
   fprintf('Program paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
38
   pause;
39
40
   % ======== Part 2: Loading Parameters ======
41
   % In this part of the exercise, we load some pre—initialized
43
   % neural network parameters.
44
   fprintf('\nLoading Saved Neural Network Parameters ...\n')
45
46
   % Load the weights into variables Theta1 and Theta2
47
   load('ex4weights.mat');
49
   w1 = Theta1;
   w2 = Theta2;
51
52 |% Unroll parameters
53 \mid nn_params = [w1(:); w2(:)];
54
   % ====== Part 3: Compute Cost (Feedforward) =======
56 \mid% To the neural network, you should first start by implementing the
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57 % feedforward part of the neural network that returns the cost only. You
 58
    % should complete the code in nnCostFunction.m to return cost. After
59 \% implementing the feedforward to compute the cost, you can verify that
 60 % your implementation is correct by verifying that you get the same cost
61
    % as us for the fixed debugging parameters.
62
63
    % We suggest implementing the feedforward cost *without* regularization
    % first so that it will be easier for you to debug. Later, in part 4, you
64
65
    % will get to implement the regularized cost.
67
    fprintf('\nFeedforward Using Neural Network ...\n')
68
69
    % Weight regularization parameter (we set this to 0 here).
    lambda = 0;
 71
 72
    C = nnCostFunction(nn_params, input_layer_size, hidden_layer_size, ...
 73
                       num_labels, X, y, lambda);
 74
 75
    fprintf(['Cost at parameters (loaded from ex4weights): %f '...
 76
             '\n(this value should be about 0.287629)\n'], C);
 77
 78
    fprintf('\nProgram paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
 79
    pause;
80
81
    %% ======= Part 4: Implement Regularization ========
    % Once your cost function implementation is correct, you should now
 83
    % continue to implement the regularization with the cost.
 84
    %
 85
86
    fprintf('\nChecking Cost Function (w/ Regularization) ... \n')
87
88
    % Weight regularization parameter (we set this to 1 here).
89
    lambda = 1;
90
91
    C = nnCostFunction(nn_params, input_layer_size, hidden_layer_size, ...
92
                       num_labels, X, y, lambda);
93
94
    fprintf(['Cost at parameters (loaded from ex4weights): %f '...
95
             '\n(this value should be about 0.383770)\n'], C);
96
    fprintf('Program paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
97
98
    pause;
99
100
    % ======= Part 5: Sigmoid Gradient =========
    % Before you start implementing the neural network, you will first
102
103
    % implement the gradient for the sigmoid function. You should complete the
104
    % code in the sigmoidGradient.m file.
106
107
    fprintf('\nEvaluating sigmoid gradient...\n')
108
109
    q = sigmoidGradient([-1 -0.5 0 0.5 1]);
110
    fprintf('Sigmoid gradient evaluated at [-1 - 0.5 \ 0 \ 0.5 \ 1]:\n');
111
    fprintf('%f ', g);
112
    fprintf('\n\n');
113
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114 | fprintf('Program paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
115
    pause;
116
117
118
    % ========= Part 6: Initializing Pameters ======
    % In this part of the exercise, you will be starting to implment a two
120
    % layer neural network that classifies digits. You will start by
121
    % implementing a function to initialize the weights of the neural network
122
    % (randInitializeWeights.m)
123
124
    fprintf('\nInitializing Neural Network Parameters ...\n')
125
126
    init_w1 = randInitializeWeights(input_layer_size, hidden_layer_size);
127
    init_w2 = randInitializeWeights(hidden_layer_size, num_labels);
128
129
    % Unroll parameters
130
    initial_nn_params = [init_w1(:) ; init_w2(:)];
131
132
    %% ======= Part 7: Implement Regularization ======
133
    % Once your backpropagation implementation is correct, you should now
134
    % continue to implement the regularization with the cost and gradient.
135
136
137
    fprintf('\nChecking Backpropagation (w/ Regularization) ... \n')
138
139
    lambda = 3;
140
141
    % Also output the costFunction debugging values
142
    debug_C = nnCostFunction(nn_params, input_layer_size, ...
143
                              hidden_layer_size, num_labels, X, y, lambda);
144
145
    fprintf(['\n\nCost at (fixed) debugging parameters (w/ lambda = %f): %f ' ...
146
              \n (for lambda = 3, this value should be about 0.576051)\n\n'], lambda,
                 debug_C);
147
148
    fprintf('Program paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
149
    pause;
150
151
152
    % =========== Part 9: Training NN ==========
    % You have now implemented all the code necessary to train a neural
154
    % network. To train your neural network, we will now use "fmincg", which
    % is a function which works similarly to "fminunc". Recall that these
156
       advanced optimizers are able to train our cost functions efficiently as
157
    % long as we provide them with the gradient computations.
158
159
    fprintf('\nTraining Neural Network... \n')
160
161
    % After you have completed the assignment, change the MaxIter to a larger
162
    % value to see how more training helps.
163
    options = optimset('MaxIter', 50);
164
    % You should also try different values of lambda
165
166
    lambda = 1;
167
    % Create "short hand" for the cost function to be minimized
169 | costFunction = @(p) nnCostFunction(p, ...
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170
                                       input_layer_size, ...
171
                                       hidden_layer_size, ...
172
                                       num_labels, X, y, lambda);
173
174
    % Now, costFunction is a function that takes in only one argument (the
    % neural network parameters)
176
    [nn_params, cost] = fmincg(costFunction, initial_nn_params, options);
177
178
    % Obtain Theta1 and Theta2 back from nn_params
179
    w1 = reshape(nn_params(1:hidden_layer_size * (input_layer_size + 1)), ...
180
                     hidden_layer_size, (input_layer_size + 1));
181
182
    w2 = reshape(nn_params((1 + (hidden_layer_size * (input_layer_size + 1))):end), ...
183
                     num_labels, (hidden_layer_size + 1));
184
185
    fprintf('Program paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
186
    pause;
187
188
189
    % ======== Part 9: Visualize Weights ==========
190
    % You can now "visualize" what the neural network is learning by
191
    % displaying the hidden units to see what features they are capturing in
192
    % the data.
193
194
    fprintf('\nVisualizing Neural Network... \n')
195
196
    displayData(w1(:, 2:end));
197
198
    fprintf('\nProgram paused. Press enter to continue.\n');
    pause;
199
200
201
    %% ========== Part 10: Implement Predict ========
202
    % After training the neural network, we would like to use it to predict
    % the labels. You will now implement the "predict" function to use the
203
204
    % neural network to predict the labels of the training set. This lets
205
    % you compute the training set accuracy.
206
207
    pred = predict(w1, w2, X);
208
209
    fprintf('\nTraining Set Accuracy: %f\n', mean(double(pred == y)) * 100);
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nnCostFunction.m

```
function [C grad] = nnCostFunction(nn_params, ...
 2
                                        input_layer_size, ...
 3
                                        hidden_layer_size, ...
 4
                                        num_labels, ...
                                        X, y, lambda)
 6
   %NNCOSTFUNCTION Implements the neural network cost function for a two layer
 7
   %neural network which performs classification
 8
9
   % Reshape nn_params back into the parameters weight1 and weight2, the weight
       matrices
10 % for our 2 layer neural network
11
   w1 = reshape(nn_params(1:hidden_layer_size * (input_layer_size + 1)), ...
12
                     hidden_layer_size, (input_layer_size + 1));
13
14 | w2 = reshape(nn_params((1 + (hidden_layer_size * (input_layer_size + 1))):end), ...
15
                     num_labels, (hidden_layer_size + 1));
16
17
   % Setup some useful variables
18
   m = size(X, 1);
19
20 \mid \% You need to return the following variables correctly
21 | C = 0;
   w1_grad = zeros(size(w1));
23 w2_grad = zeros(size(w2));
24
25 \mid A1 = [ones(size(X,1),1) \mid X];
26 \mid Z2 = A1*w1';
27 \mid A2 = sigmoid(Z2);
28 \mid A2_0 = [ones(size(A2,1),1) \mid A2];
29 \mid Z3 = A2_0*w2';
30 \mid A3 = sigmoid(Z3);
31
32 \mid HX = A3;
33
34
   % recode y to Y // TRICKY
   I = eye(num_labels);
36 Y = zeros(m, num_labels);
37
38 | for i=1:m
39
     Y(i, :) = I(y(i), :);
40 end
41
   penalty = (lambda /(2*m))*(sum(sum(w1(:, 2:end).^2, 2))+sum(sum(w2(:, 2:end).^2, 2))
        ));
43
44
   C = (1/m) * sum(sum(((-Y).*log(HX)-((1-Y).*log(1-HX))))+penalty;
45
46
   % calculate sigmas //DELTAS
47
    sigma3 = A3-Y;
   sigma2 = (sigma3*w2).*sigmoidGradient([ones(size(Z2, 1), 1) Z2]);
48
   sigma2 = sigma2(:, 2:end);
49
51 % accumulate gradients
52 | delta_1 = (sigma2'*A1);
53 delta_2 = (sigma3'*A2_0);
54
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% calculate regularized gradient
p1 = (lambda/m)*[zeros(size(w1, 1), 1) w1(:, 2:end)];
p2 = (lambda/m)*[zeros(size(w2, 1), 1) w2(:, 2:end)];
w1_grad = delta_1./m + p1;
w2_grad = delta_2./m + p2;

% Unroll gradients
grad = [w1_grad(:) ; w2_grad(:)];
end
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sigmoidGradient.m

```
function g = sigmoidGradient(z)
%SIGMOIDGRADIENT returns the gradient of the sigmoid function
%evaluated at z

g = zeros(size(z));
g = sigmoid(z).*(1-sigmoid(z));

end
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randInitializeWeights.m

```
function W = randInitializeWeights(L_in, L_out)
 2
    %RANDINITIALIZEWEIGHTS Randomly initialize the weights of a layer with L_in
 3
    %incoming connections and L_{-}out outgoing connections
    % Note that W should be set to a matrix of size(L_out, 1 + L_in) as
 4
    % the first column of W handles the "bias" terms
 5
 6
   W = zeros(L_out, 1 + L_in);
 7
    \ensuremath{\mbox{\$}} Initialize W randomly so that we break the symmetry while
9
    % training the neural network.
11
   epsilon_init = 0.12;
12
   W = rand(L_out, 1 + L_in) * 2 * epsilon_init - epsilon_init;
13
14
   end
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predict.m

```
function p = predict(w1, w2, X)
   %PREDICT Predict the label of an input given a trained neural network
3
        p = PREDICT(w1, w2, X) outputs the predicted label of X given the
4
   %
       trained weights of a neural network (w1, w2)
6
   % Useful values
   m = size(X, 1);
   num_labels = size(w2, 1);
9
10\ \ \% You need to return the following variables correctly
11
   p = zeros(size(X, 1), 1);
12
13 h1 = sigmoid([ones(m, 1) X] * w1');
14 \mid h2 = sigmoid([ones(m, 1) h1] * w2');
   [dummy, p] = max(h2, [], 2);
16
17
   end
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